

# Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor  
—Alex. H. Washburn

## Alabama Finds

Tax Funds in  
Liquor Dispensary

If you feel as I do, that the liquor traffic ought to bear its share of taxation, a state which has to tax such things as bread and milk, then you will read with interest the following—

Lyman Armstrong, former Hope citizen who now runs a store in Florence, Ala., adds this postscript to a recent letter which he wrote me: "I see your new governor is going to get his money for that liquor traffic. For a good way to raise money see attached news item."

The clipping reports on 1948 operations of Alabama's ABC state monopoly liquor system, which for the year 1948-49, it went to the following public agencies:

First \$2,000,000 divided as follows: State general fund \$1,000,000; State Department of Public Welfare \$500,000; general funds of the 67 counties \$200,000; county departments of public welfare \$200,000; municipalities in which liquor stores are located \$400,000; and all incorporated municipalities \$200,000 (divided on a pro-rata population basis).

Sixty per cent of the remaining profits went to the state general fund, giving it \$5,942,082—and the final balance, \$5,239,961 was divided between county and city governments.

Alabama owns all liquor stores, acquiring for the state and local governments the entire profits of this business. Similar state liquor monopolies are operated by Virginia, Ohio, Pennsylvania and other commonwealths. They have occasional trouble, but by and large the state liquor monopoly system provides not only the best method of controlling a troublesome traffic, but also yields a very substantial amount of tax money.

Prohibitionists do not like the state monopoly idea, and yet I have a feeling that in time we will come to it in Arkansas.

It can't go on forever taxing bread and milk and the other necessities of life and at the same time make liquor tax free—which is what we do when we disown the legal sale of it by local option. It is as sure as the sun that people in Alabama and Virginia and other commonwealths will quickly admit, and the example of sister states may be something to follow as the tax demand of public institutions tightens up in the postwar era.

## Offers Reason Why Taft Should Quit

Washington, Jan. 29 —(AP)—A Republican senator who opposes the Taft-Hartley bill, said today that he would resign if the bill is passed.

Senator Taft of Ohio should step down from his top GOP post in the senate.

The Ohioan is "hurting his chances for reelection," said Senator Taft.

Taft heads the Senate Republican policy committee, which has come under sharp attack from a group of 14 GOP senators who disagree with his views and those of other veterans of the discredited Taft earlier in an effort to unseat Taft.

Flinders, who at 68 calls himself "one of the grizzled young Turks" of the party, said the group "personally likes Senator Taft and appreciates his abilities but disagrees with him on what is politically wise for the party and his own political future."

He said that Taft, as "deteriorating holder of the reins, the throttle and the rudder of Republican senators, is hurting the chances for reelection by exhibiting the qualities which do him the least justice."

"I'm certain he would be more popular with Ohio voters if he acted as an independent sharp shooter," Flinders added.

Taft meanwhile was in his home state outlining his personal ideas about the future of the Republican party.

In a hardhitting speech at Niles, Ohio, he declared that the "Republican party will survive and prevail" despite five successive defeats by the Democrats in presidential elections.

As for the Democrats, Taft had this to say:

"The American people believe in liberty, but the totalitarian creed which is abroad dominates today the philosophy of the CIO, and therefore the Democratic party, and if it prevails it must destroy liberty here at home."

**Pastor Criticizes 'Dry' Drive in Chattanooga**

Chattanooga, Tenn., Jan. 28 —(UP)—A prominent Chattanooga pastor today criticized a "dry" drive now under way here as being run in an "emotional Carrie Nation" manner.

The pastor, Dr. William G. West, of the First Christian church, said that it is time groups in Chattanooga become familiar with the alcoholics anonymous or the Yale School of Alcohol Research. He added that "in my opinion, emotionalism as displayed by many groups here will serve only to defile the cause of temperance."

We say liquor causes people trouble, he continued, "but the real trouble is what causes people to drink. Few churches in Chattanooga do anything about this—the real problem."

The issue at point is a drive by the Women's Christian Temperance union and some church and civic groups to have the sale of liquor or beer banned within 600 feet of any church or school. A beer wholesaler's representative has said such a move would "virtually dry up" Chattanooga.

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## C of C Dinner Enjoyed by 165 Guests

A unique banquet last night, an annual affair staged by the Hope Chamber of Commerce, met with the wholehearted approval of some 165 guests.

Cy Forsythe, Chamber of Commerce secretary, acted as master of ceremonies. George W. Robison, incoming president of the organization, made his acceptance address and Treasurer Roy Anderson, gave a report on the Chamber's financial status. Outgoing president George Peck reviewed activities of the organization during the past year.

Principal speaker of the night was Mrs. Alma Cunningham, director of fashion and sportswear center of Dallas Texas, who discussed "Fashion-Wise and Otherwise."

"Then came the models revealing what the well-dressed lady should wear this summer—the men enjoyed it and the ladies loved it. A number of lovely gowns were modeled by Arthur Dale, Hefner, Adolphine Andrews, Catherine Cox, Nancy Martin and Jody Coffee.

But the real show featured little Misses Jennifer Cox and Byron Benson Hefner who modeled what the well-dressed youngsters will be wearing this summer.

## Jury to Hear Recordings of Axis Sally

Washington, Jan. 28 —(UP)—A federal court jury will hear recordings of some 25 more "Axis Sally" broadcasts when the treason trial of Mildred E. Gilaris is resumed next week.

The prosecution planned to replay the recordings in an effort to back up its contention that the "surrender" she chanted then was to undermine U. S. wartime morale, both on the fighting front and at home.

The trial was recessed until Monday on agreement of counsel for both sides. The attorneys wished time to prepare additional data.

For nearly four hours yesterday, the jury of seven men and five women listened to what the prosecution claims are official U. S. government recordings of Axis Sally.

Reacts Miss Gilaris made over the Nazi radio.

In one recording, the silken-voiced woman disc jockey known as "Axis Sally" appealed to G.I.'s "surrender." She chanted then for risking their lives when their girl friends were "running around with one of the 4-F's back home."

After playing a recording of the tune, "surrender dear," Sally commented:

"Well, I'm afraid that she will never surrender till you kids surrender. Well, how about it? It's not a bad idea, really. After all, you're fighting—it's a tough fight—don't you think it's getting the Germans down?"

**Many Roads Still Closed Due to High Water, Ice**

Little Rock, Jan. 28 —(AP)—The Arkansas highway department today reported the following roads closed because of flood or ice storm damage:

33 from junction of 38 to Augusta.

39 from Hillmann to junction of 31.

12 from Birdseye east to junction of 75.

19 from Prescott to Delight.

53 from Whelan Springs to junction of 24.

41 south of Horatio.

14 between Batesville to Newport.

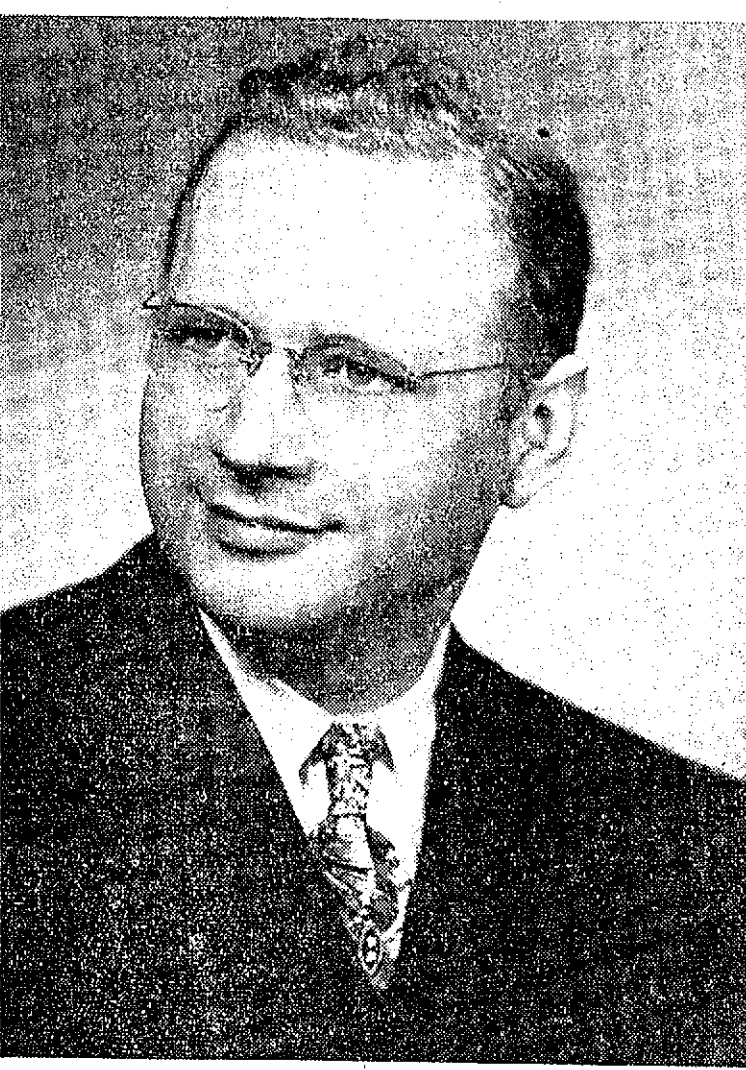
16 North of Heber Springs.

16 from Searcy to Pangburn.

67 east and west of Judsonia.

20 from Conway to Wooster.

## Heads Chamber of Commerce



George W. Robison, newly elected president of the Hope Chamber of Commerce at the organization's annual banquet last night at the high school.

## Five Nations Form Council of Europe

By The Associated Press

Foreign ministers of the five Brussels alliance states have agreed to set up a "Council of Europe" with a fledgling cabinet and an advisory parliament.

Details are to be worked out by a permanent commission of the five nations—Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg.

Other European countries will be asked to help establish the council, with the first invitation expected to go to Italy.

The council of Europe will be divided into two sections: A ministerial committee, which will be a kind of cabinet with limited powers and a consultative assembly, which will be in the form of a parliament but with only advisory authority.

Agreement on establishment of the council was announced yesterday in London. Washington officials hailed the development and pointed out that promotion of European unity has been a major objective American policy.

For centuries European statesmen have dreamed of a united Europe with the member nations eventually easing geographical boundaries and other existing barriers, something on the order of the United States.

The Council of Europe is a step in that direction. However, it was indicated in London that any surrendering of national sovereignty to the new council would have to be a gradual process.

Belgium, Belgium and the Netherlands announced today they had given de facto recognition to Israel. A similar announcement is expected from Luxembourg, France, the fifth member of the Brussels alliance, already has recognized Israel.

Australia and Switzerland announced their recognition of the Jewish state yesterday. Five more nations—New Zealand, Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Iceland—also are expected to take similar action soon. India let it be known she is not going to extend recognition now.

**Oklahomans Buy Weekly Paper at Clarksville**

Clarksville, Jan. 29 —(AP)—Mrs. Elsie Giacomini is selling the Johnson County Weekly Graphic, which she and her late husband operated since 1932.

Three Oklahomans who published newspapers at Claremore and Sawaw are the purchasers. One of the three, Ed Burckell, will come here as editor and manager of the Graphic. Mrs. Giacomini will remain as associate editor and business representative.

Mrs. Giacomini's husband, T. P. Giacomini, died last November.

**550 Seniors to Be Graduated at University**

Fayetteville, Jan. 29 —(AP)—Approximately 550 seniors and graduates are expected to receive degrees at the University of Arkansas commencement here tonight.

The U. S. District Judge John E. Miller will deliver the commencement address. He will be awarded an honorary doctor of laws degree.

Dr. Fred Hoskins of Des Moines, Ia., was to deliver the baccalaureate sermon at 10:45 this morning.

Thus, barring an accident, what

## Temperature of 17 Here Sets Winter Record

It hasn't rained in Hempstead county for the past 24 hours but old man winter served notice he isn't through yet by sending in a cold wave that pushed the mercury down to 17 degrees last night, the coldest of the season to date.

## Legislature 'Doing Fine' Says McMath

Little Rock, Jan. 29 —(AP)—Governor McMath thinks the Arkansas legislature is doing all right.

He said at a news conference late yesterday that he was well satisfied with progress that has been made during the first three weeks of the session.

His word of commendation came at both the house and the senate adjournment, the week-end and most members left for their homes.

Both houses will reconvene Monday. McMath has been having the customary honeymoon, nearly all new governor enjoy with the legislature measures usually have been in a state of confusion.

Administration-sponsored bills, a temporary one—came this week on a proposal to add another member to the state racing commission.

As soon as the house, which had rejected the bill, learned it was administration measure and why the governor wanted it, the bill was called up for reconsideration and passed.

While the governor was giving the general assembly a verbal pat on the back, Attorney General Elmer Murray said there was a little matter he thought the legislators would attend to.

It concerns initiative and referendum, approved at the last general election, to change the method of selecting county election commissions.

Murray wasn't advising the legislature. But he made the observation in the course of an attorney general's opinion that for a variety of reasons "the entire matter relating to it is in a state of confusion which should be brought to the attention of the legislature."

Meanwhile, said Murray, elections will have to be conducted by old election commissions.

After the legislature recessed yesterday, the joint budget committee recommended for adoption a \$27,200,000 annual education department budget, it provides for an increase of \$7,500 of salary of the education commissioner, \$5,400 for an assistant commissioner and \$3,000 for four other department heads.

## Bob Hope to Stay With NBC Network

Philadelphia, Jan. 29 —(AP)—Bob Hope, the radio-movie comedian, is going to stay with the National Broadcasting Company.

Hope told a reporter yesterday "I'm going to remain the lone ranger of NBC."

The quip parried a question about the plans to shift to the Columbia Broadcasting System—a move made recently by Jack Benny, Amos and Andy, Red Skelton and Bing Crosby.

**QUAKE IN PHILIPPINES**  
Manila, Friday, Jan. 28 —(AP)—A moderately strong earthquake last night shook Manila, capital of Panay island in the central Philippines.

The weather bureau reported today that damage was reported immediately.

## Not Likely That World Will Be Free of Danger of War for Many Years to Come

By DeWitt MacKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Secretary of the Army Royal has told the armed services committee of the U. S. House of Representatives "there appears little likelihood that for a number of years to come we will be free of an international situation fraught with danger and subject to marked fluctuations."

We are entitled, I take it, to assume that the secretary was talking about the "cold war" which Bolshevist Russia is waging against the democracies. He cautioned that while war (hot war) isn't imminent, it is "at least a possibility."

Therefore America must maintain adequate defenses. The question immediately arises as to how long the world is going to be tormented by this Red aggression. The answer naturally must be speculative, but there are certain things which are clear enough.

One of the absolute certainties is that Russia won't abandon her world revolution for the spread of communism so long as she can move a muscle. That means she will keep it up until some as yet unforeseen element stops her in her tracks.

Should some unexpected contingency produce a hot war, that would provide the element which would stop the Bolshevists in their tracks. Russia couldn't win a war against the Western powers.

However, Moscow is far too smart to start a hot war deliberately. She may be expected to stick in the main to her present tactics. This means continuance of espionage and fifth column tactics in all non-Communist countries, and the breeding of revolutions of the encouragement of upheavals already started.

Thus, barring an accident, what

we are up against is a cold war of attrition. As things now stand that won't be difficult to keep going. We have a clear cut illustration of possibilities in the present two-front warfare involving Europe and Asia. Having absorbed as much of Europe as she could by taking advantage of her position as a major ally in the world war, Russia is holding on to the European front while intensifying her drive in Asiatic countries like China and Burma.

That's the Bolshevist strategy—to keep everlastingly boring and to take advantage of the course of least resistance. Barring an accident this sort of thing might continue indefinitely without producing a hot war. But of course, as Secretary Royal points out, we must keep prepared because war is "at least a possibility."

So there is no doubt that this conflict of the isms may continue for a great many years. The only thing which can alter this is some event which will cripple the striking power of the Moscow directed Bolshevist machine.

We know—as this column has been pointing out—that there is a great deal of trouble in the hearts of many of the Russian slave states of eastern Europe. There is much evidence that some, if not all, of the satellites would rise up against their oppressors if they could.

Some day the revolt will come. It can't be any time. But when? There can be no estimate of that now. We've just got to keep on sawing wood, and maybe some of us old timers never will see the end of the cold war.

The only sure thing is that the length of our sentence is shortened by every blow struck at Bolshevism.

## New Labor Law Would Eliminate Court Injunction

Washington, Jan. 29 —(AP)—The administration today asked congress to enact a new labor law which would strip the court injunction provisions which have brought such vigorous protests from organized labor.

The "onepackage" labor bill sent to the senate labor committee would repeal the controversial Taft-Hartley law and restore the old Wagner Labor Relations act with "improvements" asked by President Truman.

Secretary of Labor Tobin is due to go before the committee Monday to explain provisions of the new measure, which was released to reporters by the committee to day without comment.

Under the Taft-Hartley law, the government has authority to obtain court orders to bar strikes for an 80-day period after other means of settlement had failed. These orders can be sought where the national welfare is involved.

This provision was vigorously opposed by labor groups which demanded Taft-Hartley repeal as an issue in the election campaign last fall.

Under the new law proposed by the administration, a 30-day "cooling off" period would be provided. This is designed to avert "national paralysis" strikes.

The first step would be for the president to appoint an emergency factfinding board. Such boards would have authority to make recommendations for settlement.

Under the Taft-Hartley law in inquiry boards can report only on the issues without suggesting any solution.

Tobin did the main drafting job on the bill, with the help of NLRB members Paul M. Herzog and Abe Murock, and Conciliation Director Cyrus J. Chiang, among others.

After more than 24 hours of haggling over words, the measure was passed on to Mr. Truman, who relayed it to the senate labor committee after giving his approval.

Members of the committee have staged a running fight for days over the bill, its expected provisions, and the method for handling it.

Over the past few days, Democratic members of the group agreed to aim at cutting off hearings on the measure by February 10.

Senator Aiken (R-Vt.), a committee member, said yesterday's decision indicated the administration is having great difficulty agreeing on just what its program is.

The Vermont lawmaker joined GOP Senators Taft (Ohio) and Morse (Iowa) in predicting that Republicans will do all they can to rewrite the administration measure when it reaches the senate floor.

## County Negro Teachers to Meet Here

The Hempstead County Teachers Association will meet at Henry C. Yerger High School, Hope, Saturday, February 5, 1949, beginning promptly at 9 a.m.

The two features of the program are (1) Presentation of a Rich Social Life and (2) Resurrecting Plans and the establishment of a Convenient Library for the public in Hempstead County, president Ira W. Harris announced.

This program has been approved by the Executive Board of the Hempstead County Teachers Association in a meeting of December 14, 1948 and the chairman of the following sections were elected:

Teacher of Grades 1-3—Chairman, Georgia Yerger, Hope.

Teacher of Grades 4-5—Evelyn Burton, Blevins.

English—R. H. Jacques, Blevins.

Science—L. L. Lott, Hope.

Social Science—Sue Emma Allen, Blevins.

Mathematics—Chairman, G. S. Williams, Washington.

Home Economics—Velma Frye, Hope.

Agriculture—C. I. Walker, Washington.

Principals—L. W. Williams, Washington.

Music—Naoma Yerger, Hope.

## Arkansas Records 15th Death by Violence

By The Associated Press  
Arkansas recorded its 15th violent death of the week last Friday night when a man was killed in a traffic accident.

R. R. Windle, 50, of Benton, was the victim. The automobile in which he was riding was wrecked on Highway 1 near Owensville, east of Hot Springs.

Previously there had been four other traffic fatalities, five deaths in fires, two drownings, one homicide, one apparent suicide and one death caused by an explosion.

## Investment Must Be Free of High Taxes

(This is another in a series prepared by the Arkansas Public Expenditure Council to show the need for reorganization of the executive branch of the government.)

By SAM HAYS AND CLOVIS COPELAND  
Washington, Jan. 29 —(Special)

The far-sighted thinkers are joining industrialists in the belief that if the United States is to maintain the rate of production necessary to supply jobs for its people, present federal tax policies penalizing investment must be eliminated.

The federal government usually takes the entire tax burden when it comes to taxes, and this is often not the wisest. Some of these policies have discouraged "venture capital," which makes jobs, and thereby prevented industry from making its contribution to recovery.

A recent study shows that the food processing firm resulted in only 100 new jobs. The barbers in towns the size of Hot Springs claim they have a \$2,300 investment in their business, but the garage contend it takes an investment of \$7,000 for each mechanic.

Throughout the history of this country, money has always been available in ready supply for investment. But now the ease of making these jobs is drying up.

Now the economists claim that this is due to restrictive federal policies which penalize a man who is willing to invest in a new and possibly unsuccessful business. It has been the custom to lay greater burdens on the man willing to risk his money on new production.

Between the Civil War and World War I, corporations ploughed back into their business about 13 cents out of every dollar earned. This made jobs and increased production.

Now, in the 1930's, earnings put back into production averaged six percent. In the 1930's, the amount dropped to two cents on the dollar, and the downward trend is continuing.

Generally speaking, small stockholders place their money in well-established corporations with long consistent earning records. They figure the risk is less.

But other stock holders are willing to take a chance, but they expect more for their money so the can cover the losses if one or more of their projects fail.

Until recently, our economic system paid bigger returns for this type of investment.

The small boys use the case of the man who desired to construct a paper mill in Alaska because of the lumber supply. He figured a 30 million dollar investment would pay for about one million dollars.

He figured a gross-profit of about two and one-half million on such a project.

Of this, corporation taxes would take out a cool million, and out of the remaining million and a half (individual) income taxes would slice another million, 300 thousand dollars.

Before, assuming the mill would be a great success the first year, the government would take two million, 300 thousand dollars and the investor would get 200 thousand, after taxes.

The owner would have to take all the risk and responsibility, but the government would take 80 times the profit he received. So he kept his money. The nation lost the industry and jobs, and the government lost the taxes.

This was the reaction in government circles to the broadcast by the self-proclaimed separatist government of Markos Vafiades, the Communist leader, in which an offer was made to talk peace at the Communist's price.

Both foreign ministry and ministry of war spokesmen said the broadcast was "part of the guerrilla war tactics and not designed for peace." The point they said was to create confusion, and they said, the government will not take the bait.

The guerrilla broadcast demanded that as a condition for talks, Greece and that Athens provide for a new government acceptable to the Communists.

There is ground work being laid now for cooperation and hard work by all the people has been given credit for this nation's industrial successes. The new aim will be a tax policy which will permit unhampered production to usher in an even higher standard of living for Americans.

## Russians Term U.S., British Pact, War Plan

Moscow, Jan. 29 —(AP)—Russia issued a white paper today to tell the world the projected North Atlantic pact is part of a "British-American plan for a new war."

It is a plot against the United Nations and has as its object the establishment of British-American domination of the world by force, said the Soviet foreign ministry.

The western European union was declared a link in the plans for world domination by the two powers.

The document, one of the longest issued by the foreign ministry in months, took up nearly two pages in the Moscow press. It attracted the immediate interest of Moscow's diplomats and has won objecting copies and began translating and analyzing the declaration.

Specifically entitled "declaration of the ministry of foreign affairs of the U. S. S. R. on the North Atlantic pact," it accused Britain and the United States of trying to isolate the Soviet Union, undermine the United Nations, institute an economic boycott on the U. S. R. and her friends, trying to start a new war and not wanting to conclude peace treaties for Germany and Japan.

In short, it summed up the U. S. S. R.'s present view of the entire foreign situation as it has been interpreted by Moscow's opinion, by the projected North Atlantic pact.

It concluded by declaring Russia is going to fight "more firmly and consistently" against the alleged attempt to wreck the U. N.

One point observed by diplomats was that the white paper laid the basis for a citation of the United States and Britain before the United Nations on charges of violating the charter. The paper flatly asserts that the North Atlantic pact would be a violation of the charter.

Moscow complained that the western European union was nothing but a "military-political complement to the economic regrouping of European countries which was created to carry out the Marshall Plan." The statement said both groupings received direction from the United States.

(Russia herself heads two groupings. One in the Cominform, a political grouping of the Communists coordinate the activities of Communist parties. Overlapping this is the "European Economic Community," which is a group of states outside the eastern European bloc.)

The western European Union, the statement said, was a "chain of measures involved in plans for establishing Anglo-American world domination."

This union, it added, was but a "military-political complement to the economic regrouping of European countries" which was created to carry out the Marshall Plan, and both "receive their direction from the ruling circles of the Anglo-U. S. A. bloc."

The statement said it had agreements and projects for such alliances, including the western hemisphere defense pact, a proposed Mediterranean pact, and the South Asian conference on India held recently in New Delhi, India.

The Western European Union is composed of Britain, France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg. The Brussels pact was signed in March, 1948. The five powers yesterday announced they had agreed to organize a "council of Europe" which may open the way for democratic elections.

President Truman has announced he hopes to submit to congress soon a North Atlantic pact linking the United States and Canada with the European union in a defense agreement.

"The U. S. S. R. must take



# Social and Personal

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Friday, January 30  
Mrs. D. C. Hyatt will present the following program of music at the 7:00 o'clock over KXAR. Mrs. Hyatt will play a program of music.

The Fifth Grade boys and girls of the Methodist church school will have as their guests Sunday, Jan. 30, the following boys and girls from the Methodist Children's Home in Little Rock: Juanita and June Conkle, Barbara and Hattie Miller, Patsy Odum, Rich. Smith, Johnny Norwood and Jimmy Sullivan. J. M. Cannon, who is superintendent of the Home, will accompany the children and present them at the morning worship service. While in Hope Mr. Cannon will be the guest of his friends, Miss Clarice Cannon and Mrs. Arch Cannon.

Wednesday, February 2  
Circle No. 3 will have its monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. J. M. Cannon, 1222 South Main Street. All business and professional women of the First Christian church are invited to the meeting.

Roxie Jane Sutton  
The fiancée of Ray Lawrence, Miss Roxie Jane Sutton's engagement and approaching marriage to Ray Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thomas Lawrence of Commerce, Texas is made public today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sutton of this city. The wedding will be an event of Sunday, March 6 in the First Baptist church in this city.

Mrs. Jesse Sinclair  
Hostess to Auxiliary  
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Hope Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Jesse Sinclair at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday, January 25. The program was as follows: Song "Praise Him" in unison. Song by Mrs. Sally Byers. The devotion was brought by Mrs. Riley L. Wallen on the 2nd Chapter of Timothy. Mrs. Luther Kennedy led the group in prayer. The theme of the program was "The Life of Jesus." Mrs. Dayton Thomason gave an interesting paper on "Sixty Years at Nazareth." "His Faith Ministry" by Mrs. Doss Blackson. "The Human Character of Jesus" by Mrs. Roy Roberts and "The End" was given by Brother Howard White. Refreshments were served to 27

members after which the group was dismissed with the benediction given by Mrs. Sinclair.

Friday Music Club  
Meets with Mrs. Hendrix Spraggins on Friday  
The Friday Music Club met at the home of Mrs. Hendrix Spraggins on South Edgewood Street, Mrs. B. C. Hyatt, president, presided over the business session at which time members discussed the national meeting of the Federation of Music Clubs to be held in Dallas in early spring.

## Coming and Going

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown, Miss Roxie Jane Sutton and Ray Lawrence motored to the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville on Friday to attend the mid-term graduation exercises.

Joe Irvin of Southern Methodist University, Dallas arrived Friday morning for a visit with relatives in Hope and Ozark.

Mrs. T. P. Boyett of Texarkana and Mrs. Ella King of Taylor, Arkansas are visiting in the home of Mrs. H. F. Rider and Mrs. E. F. Formby.

J. S. M. Cannon of Little Rock is the week-end guest of his niece, Miss Clarice Cannon and Mrs. Arch Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Formby are spending the week-end in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tarpley will leave Sunday to make their home in Nashville, Tennessee, where Mr. Tarpley is attending the Southern School of Printing.

## Hospital Notes

Josephine  
Admitted: Master Jerry Douglas Lamb, Hope.

Branch  
Discharged: Miss Nellie Browning, Hope. Baby Billy Teel, Hope.

Julia Chester  
Admitted: K. G. McRae, Hope. Bobby Joe Lee, Hope. Discharged: Mrs. Von Arrington, Shreveport.

## DOROTHY DIX

### Alcoholism Not Hereditary

#### Weather Forces Utah's Deer Into the City

Salt Lake City, Jan. 28 —(UP)—Utah's deer are still going urban.

While the spotlight of publicity has been focused in recent weeks on the plight of starving sheep, hundreds of deer driven by snow from the mountains continue to inhabit Salt Lake City. Most of them remain near foothill feed areas established by the Utah fish and game department, but others are taking to city life in a whole-hearted manner. They nibble at shrubs and small trees.

At the residence of Adolf K. Doebler, a doe has established her headquarters, and sleeps on the patio. Neighbors feed it apples.

R. L. Turpin, state fish and game commission director, said it will be necessary to feed the deer at least until April.

### Columbus Downed by Hope Legion

The Hope Legionaires outscored the Columbus Independents last night at Columbus to take a 59 to 36 victory. The newly organized Columbus team showed plenty of hustle and should round into a pretty fair team after a few more games.

Herman Lewis of Hope led the field in scoring with 17 points, followed by Pony Reeves with 15 points and Gilson Ross with 12. Johnnie Thompson led the Columbus boys with 12 points followed by Clendenin Caldwell and Couch with 6 points each.

Monday night the Legionaires go to Emmet to meet the Sky Chiefs and Wednesday night they play hosts to the North Heights Blue Flames at Hope High School.

## Clubs

Hopewell  
A round table discussion on hooking wool rugs was held by the members of the Hopewell Home Demonstration Club at their monthly meeting, January 26, at the home of Mrs. G. W. Wiggins.

Mrs. O. B. Hodnett, president, called the meeting to order. Mrs. Wiggins opened the meeting with a scripture reading from St. Matthew. Roll call was answered with each member present telling what she was planning for their yards this year.

Mrs. Hodnett appointed the following members to serve as leaders during 1949. Other leaders will be appointed at a later date. Mrs. Vic Thompson, food and nutrition; Mrs. John Keck, food preservation and clothing; Mrs. G. W. Wiggins, landscaping and gardening; Mrs. Leslie Honeycutt, poultry; Mrs. Cecil Bittle, handicrafts and home art; Mrs. Neil Osborn, child care; and Mrs. Rex Johnson, recreation.

During the recreation period, Mrs. Hodnett was awarded the prize in a contest given by Mrs. Johnson. Mrs. Orville Green and Mrs. John Keck were given a birthday shower, each receiving many useful gifts.

The hostess served a dessert plate with coffee to eight members. Mrs. Cecil Bittle will be hostess at an all day meeting, February 23, with each member bringing a covered dish. The demonstration will be on furniture upholstering.

## Guest Speaker

### Sunday at AME Church

Dr. Robert H. Alexander, president of Shorter College, North Little Rock, will speak at Bethel A.M.E. Church, Sunday at 3 p.m. The pastor, Rev. G. Paschal, and members of Bethel, have launched a building program. This service is the first in a series of special efforts, planned for this project. Dr. Alexander will be accompanied by a Glee Club from Shorter, who will sing several numbers. The public is invited to worship with us at this time.

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Do you think I should give up the man I love on the off chance that he will inherit his father's weakness?

## UNHAPPY GIRL

Answer: If your young man came from a family in which there was insanity, or which was afflicted with some inheritable disease, your parents would be right to try to keep you from marrying him. But alcoholism is not hereditary. And as for children "taking after" their fathers and mothers, it works around the other way quite as often.

Many a boy has a perfect horror of drink because in his childhood he saw his father in his cups. Many a girl makes the nearest of housekeepers because her mother was a sloven. And many a girl is gentle and patient and amiable because she has always in her mind the picture of her poor henpecked father banging his head before her virago mother's nagging.

Should Pick Husband Herself  
Any intelligent girl who has sense

enough to hold down a good job and earn her own bread and butter is perfectly capable of picking out her husband herself, and all that the father and mother have a right to do is to sign on the dotted line and give her their blessing.

Dear Dorothy Dix: My husband tells me that he has lost that certain spark for me that is necessary to love. He still likes me in a friendly way. There is no other woman and, in fact, he cannot actually tell what has caused him to lose his affection for me, and he is trying very hard to revive his love, for we have children and we do not wish to break up our marriage.

I do not know what tactics to take to bring back the emotional change that he so desires. He wants help from me, but I cannot give it because I don't know what to do. What advice can you give me?

Answer: I think your husband is expecting the impossible from marriage. He is asking for perpetual youth and that comes to no man. He thinks because he no longer thrills at the sound of his wife's footsteps and sees circling clouds of glory around her middle-aged head, that he has lost his love for her.

But that is all nonsense. A boy's love and a man's love are two entirely different things. They represent different periods of growth and taste. A youth, for instance, spends hours telling his sweetie how much he loves her and he smoothes her with kisses and caresses, but no sane woman could endure a constant diet of soft talk. It would bore her to death. And a man has the sane reaction to love-making as a woman has. He says it with beefsteaks instead of orchids. Now the trouble with your hus-

band is that he is not willing to let Nature take its course. He isn't satisfied with the middle-aged type of love. He wants the thrill of romance that no miracle can revive. Nothing can give your husband back the spark he craves, but it would help him to see the light if he would leave you and the children and take a long vacation.

Dear Miss Dix: I am a man of 37. Have had my share of the war

and life's experiences. Have a good job, nice car, and am not a bad-looking fellow. I have dated many girls, but the trouble is I am not married and I would like to settle down and have a home. Why is it that with all the girls I meet none seems to be the right one? Is it because I am too choosy?

Answer: I don't think a chap can be too choosy in picking out a wife

because she is the one he has to live with, and his happiness depends on whether he got Miss Right or Miss Wrong.

Don't get discouraged because no girl has yet rung the bell for you. You will find her some day. Don't hurry to get married. Go slow. Be sure you have picked out the girl who is IT. (Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

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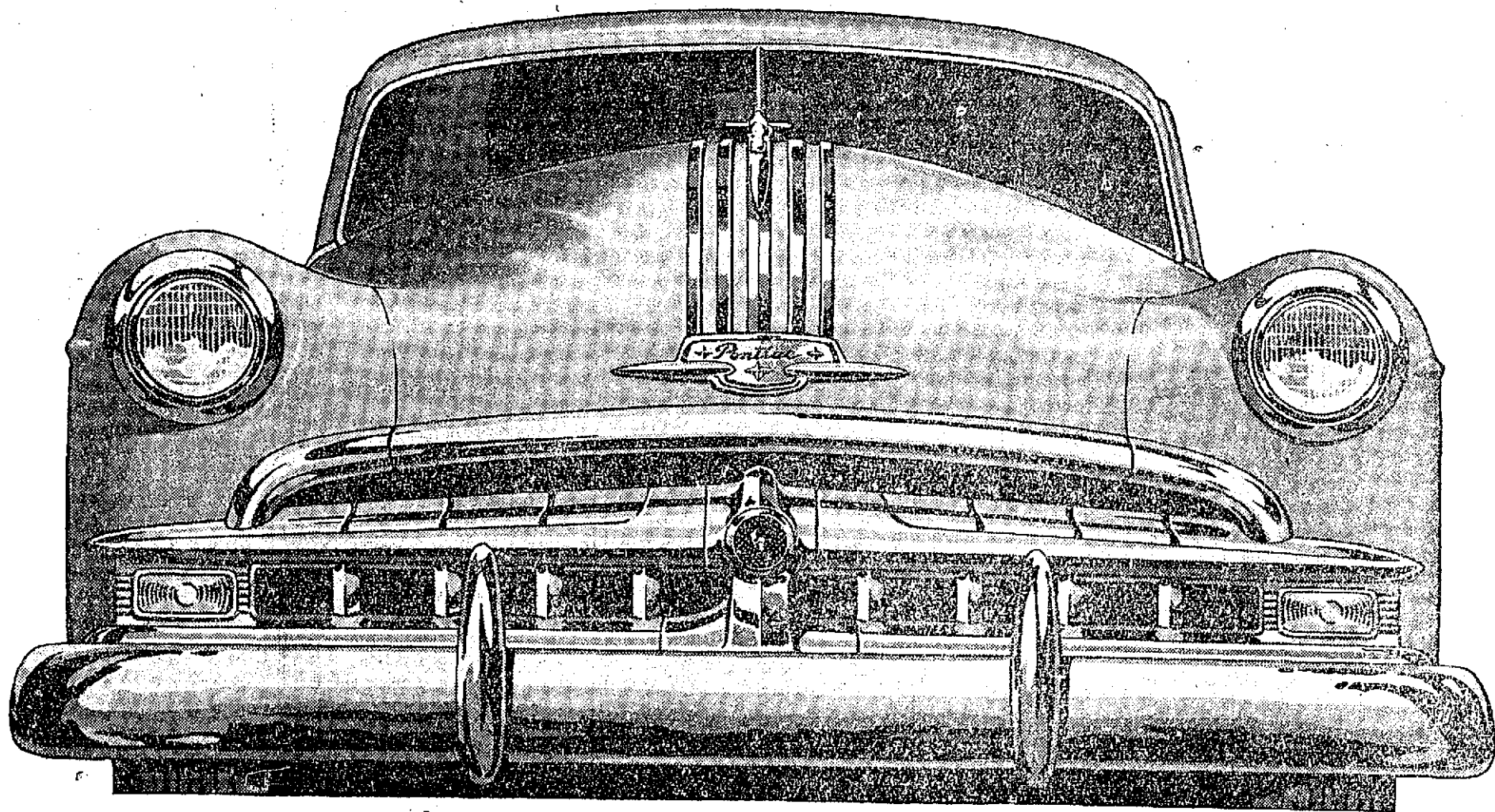
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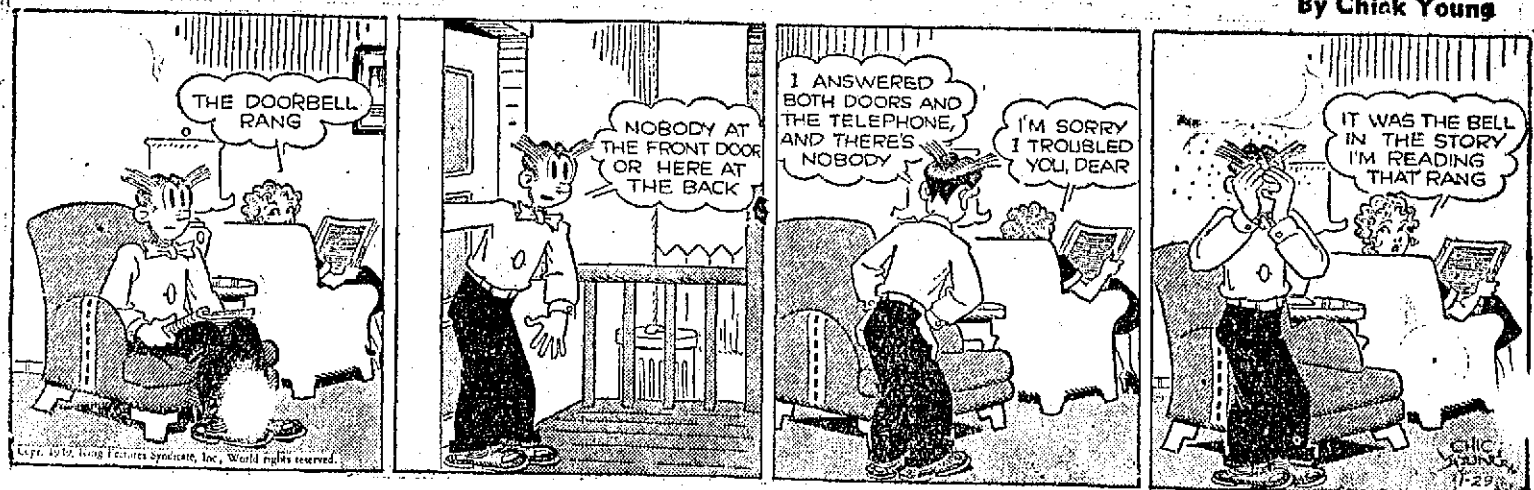
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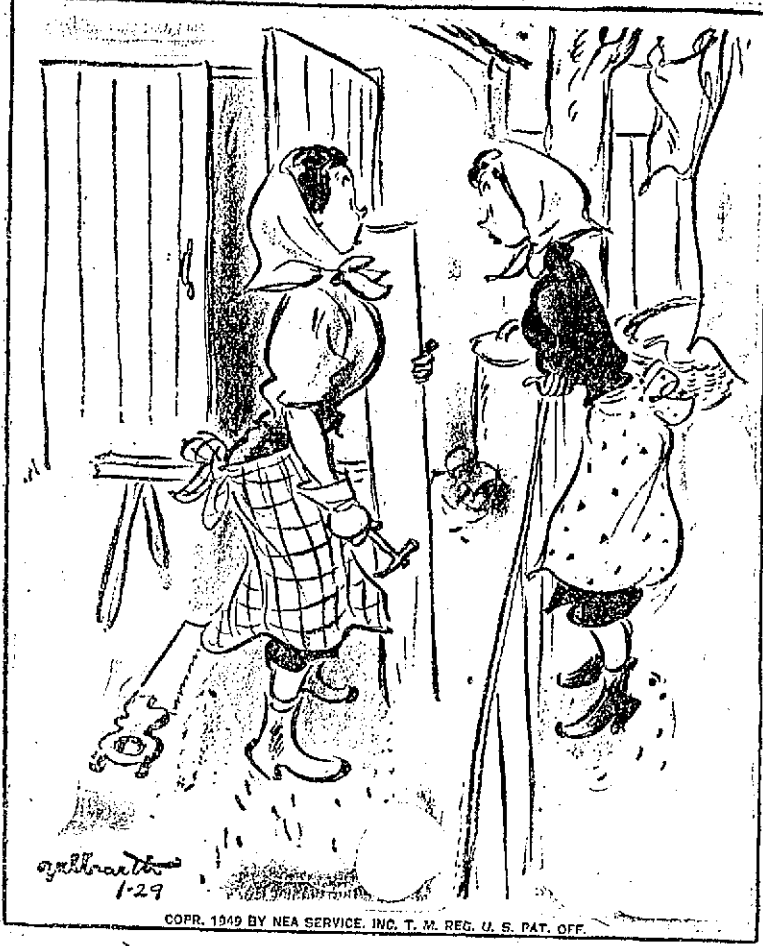


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SIDE GLANCES

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"Oh, George hasn't time on Saturdays to be fixing garage doors—he's on the world plan committee of the chamber of commerce!"

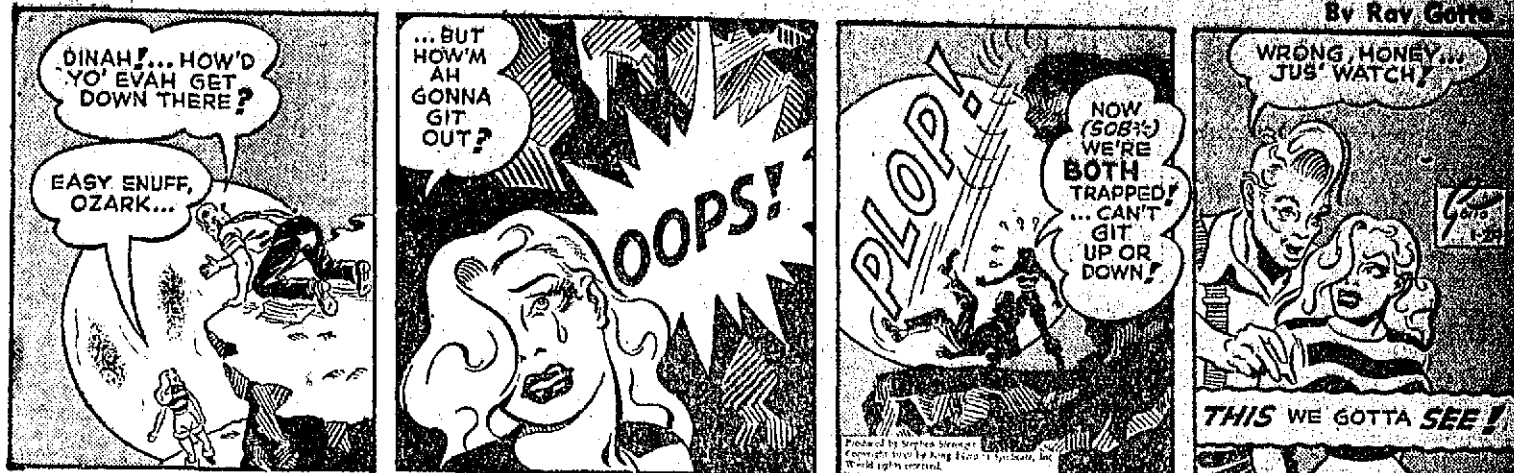
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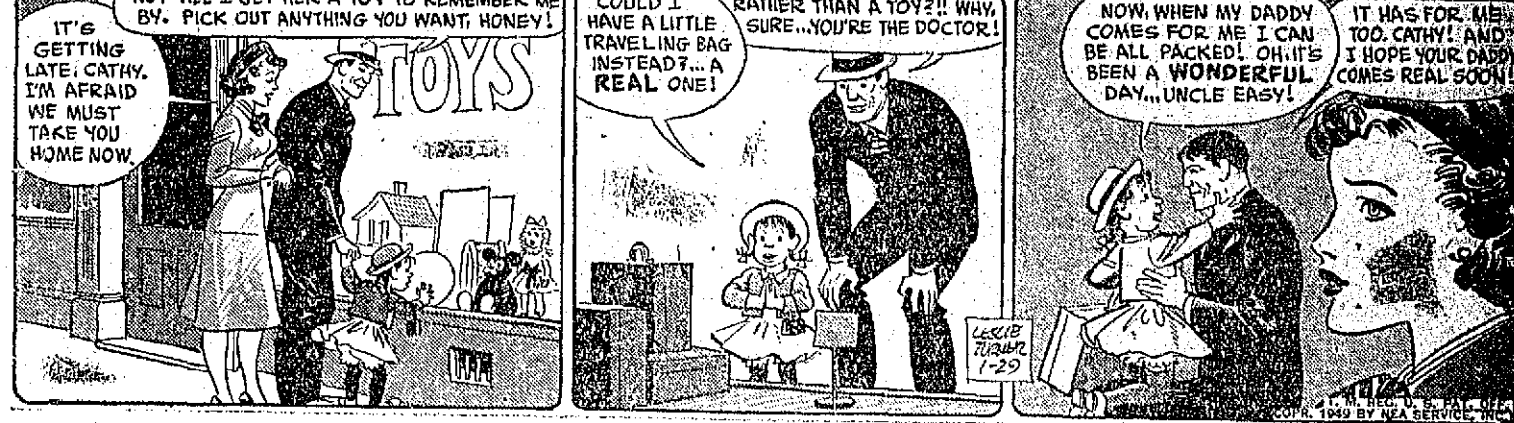
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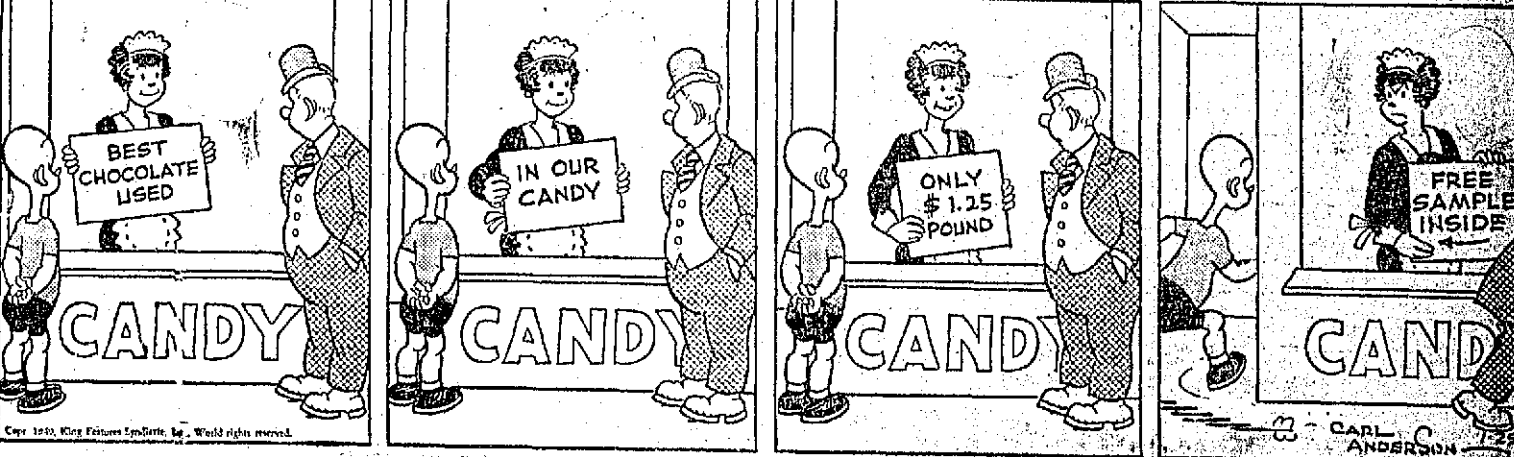
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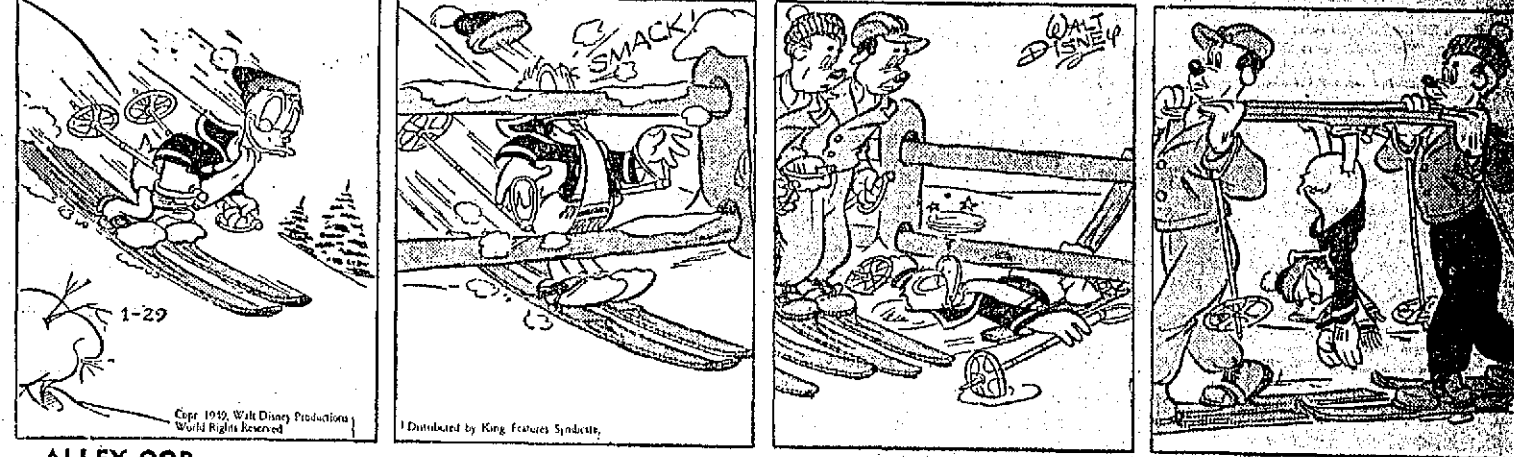
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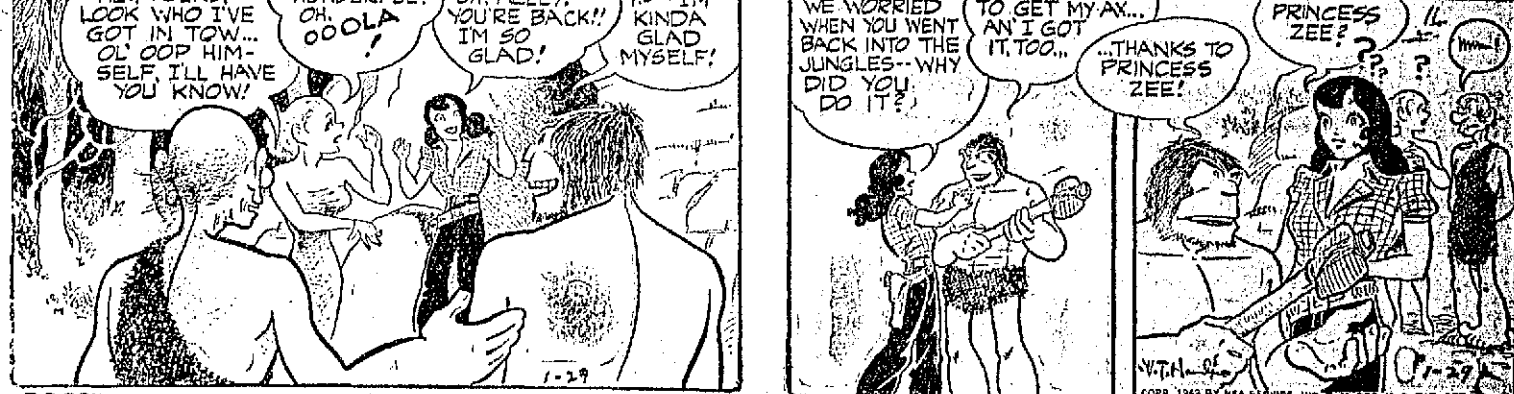
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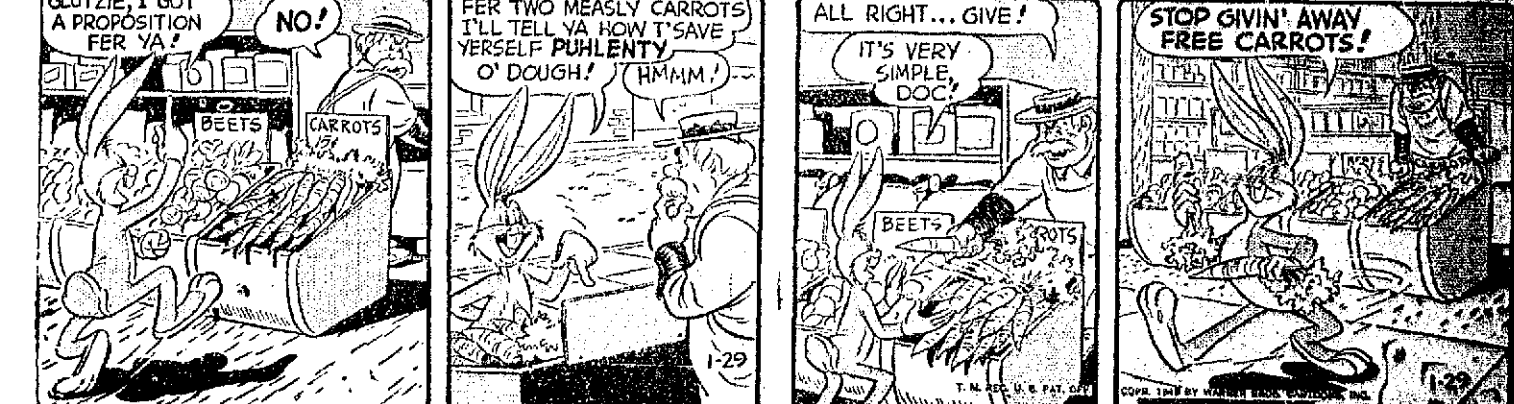
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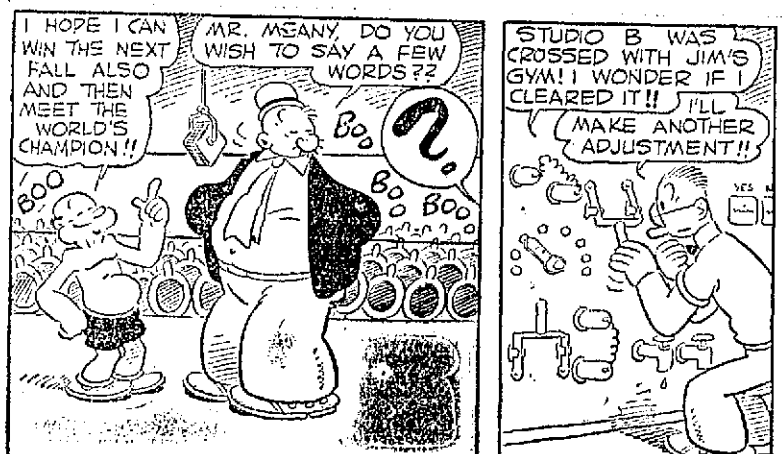
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By Hershberger



"Will you have your roast well done, dear?"

POPEYE



OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams

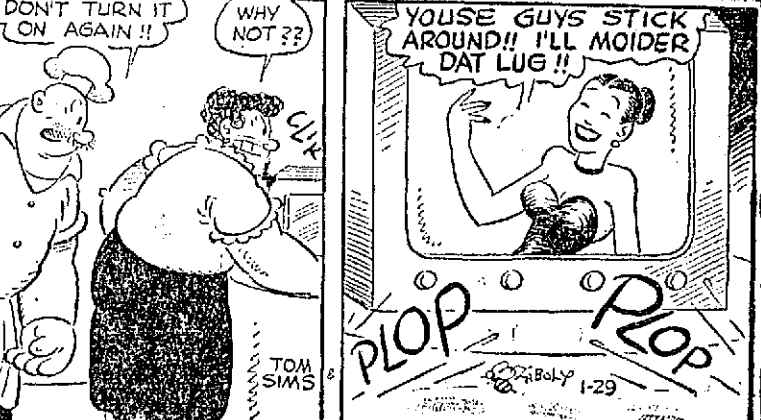


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By Blosser



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The army today identified one  
of the American soldiers killed  
Wednesday by an observation  
plane as Pvt. John B. Sloan, 207  
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The long awaited, much specu-  
lated upon 1949 Pontiacs will be  
revealed publicly at the Hope  
from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Hem-  
stead Motor Co., on South Walnut.  
Two completely new and strikingly  
beautiful lines of motorcars.

Harry J. Klingler, general man-  
ager of Pontiac Motor Division and  
vice president of General Motors,  
described the new Pontiacs as "The  
finest motorcars we have ever pro-  
duced."

Pontiac offers the public two  
"New Looks" for 1949. The Chief-  
tain series is an entirely new con-  
cept of functional beauty distin-  
guished by its ultra-styled rear por-  
t. The Streamliner series is an  
extremely advanced rendering of  
the flowing design factors popular-  
ized by Pontiac.

Both Chieftain and Streamliner  
series begin a 100 inch wheelbase.  
The Torpedo line has been discon-  
tinued, Mr. Klingler said.

Approach pattern of both Chief-  
tain and Streamliner from Gleam-  
ing Indian lead hood ornament to  
massive, wrap-around bumper is  
vertical, a triumph of suave yet rug-  
ged elegance accentuated by Pon-  
tiac's traditional Silver Streak, styl-  
ized for 1949 but still serving to  
make Pontiac the world's best  
identified motorcar. Grills of both  
series have a magnificent and uni-  
que, so heavy as to stimulate a sec-  
ond bumper, spans the entire front  
above the ten modernistic louvers.

Rectangular parking lamps, con-  
ducting to dual duty as directional  
signals, complete the new look.

Sleek surge has been gained by  
lowering the hood with an added  
safety factor compounded by re-  
duced pillars and curved wind-  
shield whose gleaming sweep has  
been increased nearly six inches.

Body contour is to the modern  
manner and yet unmistakably Pon-  
tiac. Front fenders sweep openly  
through the doors to the rear fen-  
der which are integrated with the  
rear quarter panels.

Road lines have been lowered  
2.5 inches resulting in a breathak-  
ing silhouette.

In rear end design Chieftain and  
Streamliner take different routes to  
the common goal of modern  
beauty.

The Chieftain embraces modern-  
istic styling adapted to Pontiac  
individuality. This consists of two  
graciously arched steps from roof  
crown to rear deck, to lower edge.

The Streamliner, however, will be  
pleasantly reminiscent to the many  
fanciers of this design type and  
has added appeal through its 1949  
treatment. The Silver Streak ac-  
centuates both series.

Rear fenders are classical in  
their uninterrupted symmetry.  
They are high-lighted by circular  
triple purpose stop lights and tail  
lights, which may also be converted  
to dual beam signals.

Interiors carry motif  
Just as the exterior of the 1949  
Pontiac is distinguished by a com-  
plete lack of automotive "ginger-  
bread", interiors carry out the mo-  
t of clean simplicity. Comfort  
and safety prominence in Pon-  
tiac's selection of interior features.

Both lines have up to 38 percent  
more glass area front and rear.  
Seats are wider front and rear  
and also the floor. Floors are level  
with door sills.

Travelux Ride  
The Pontiac ride has been im-  
proved by moving the rear seat  
well forward of the rear axle,  
rear springs. An added divid-  
ing is added hip room by avoiding the  
space-taking wheel housing.

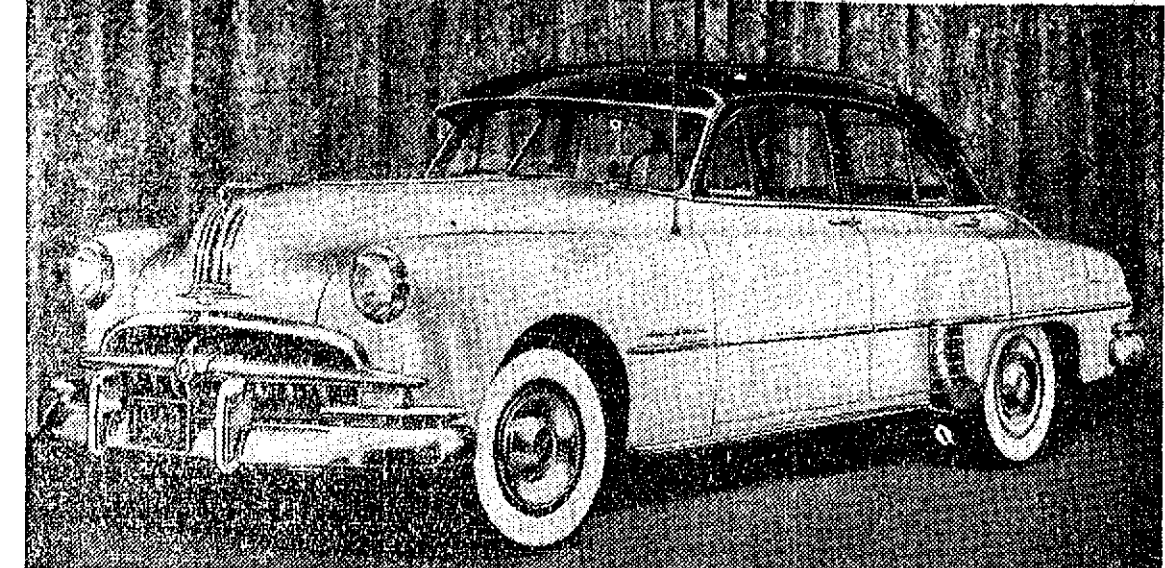
The front seat has been moved  
four inches forward and because  
of the increased width it has been  
possible to move the steering col-  
umn two inches farther to the left,  
giving additional elbow room to  
driver and front compartment  
passengers.

Basic elements of the new Pon-  
tiac, in addition to seat re-  
arrangement, are softer front and  
rear springs, extra low-pressure  
tires, a heavier frame, new front  
suspension based on airplane type  
shock absorbers functioning inside  
coil springs.

10 Body Types  
Pontiac will make ten body types  
for 1949 and with two exceptions  
each may be had as standard or  
with certain refinements which  
Pontiac designates as its Deluxe  
models. Exceptions are the con-  
vertible which is available with  
deluxe equipment only and the  
sedan-delivery, a swank commer-  
cial vehicle new to the Pontiac  
line, standard equipped only. Two  
station-wagons are available; in all  
steel construction and in wood-and-  
steel.

Choice of Engines  
Pontiac owners may choose, as  
in the past, between the 90 horse-  
power six cylinder engine, and

## Entirely New Pontiac For 1949



The Pontiac Chieftain line of which the four-door deluxe sedan is shown here has a 120 inch wheelbase. Roof lines have been lowered without sacrifice of comfort. Trailing pattern of the Chieftain series consists of two gracefully arched steps from roof crown to trunk deck to lower edge. Both Pontiac Streamliner and Pontiac Chieftain lines average 38 percent more glass area. Visor on car pictured is an accessory.

## Prescott News

Monday, January 31  
There will not be a meeting of  
the W.M.S. of the First Baptist  
Church.

The Presbyterian quarterly  
church Family pot-luck supper  
will be held at the church Monday  
evening. A fine program is being  
arranged.

Tuesday, February 1  
The Prescott Musical Coterie is  
sponsoring a benefit bridge Tuesday  
at the Hotel Lawson. The afternoon  
games will begin at 2:30 and the  
evening games at 7:30. There will  
be four progressions of party  
bridge. High score and cut prizes  
will be given. There is no age  
limit, teen-agers on up are cordially  
invited to participation. Admission  
will be 50c per person. There will  
be a tea hour for non-players from  
3 to 4:30 in the afternoon and 8  
to 9:30 in the evening. Mrs. J. C.  
Stegar is invitation chairman, Mrs.  
V. McMahon, party supplies  
chairman, Mrs. Clara Whorpe, re-  
freshment chairman, Mrs. Joe R.  
Hamilton, decoration chairman,  
Mrs. Dudley Gordon serving chair-  
man and Mrs. Dallas Atkins and  
Mrs. Art Regnier, bridge directors.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of  
the First Methodist church will  
meet at 7 in the home of Mrs. Joe  
Smith with Mrs. Lelia Hays co-  
hostesses.

The Hooker-Nelson Post No. 51  
of the American Legion is sponsor-  
ing a non-political meeting of all  
people of Nevada County at the  
Legion Hut in Prescott on Sunday  
afternoon at 2 o'clock. State Repre-  
sentative H. H. May will explain  
the road bond bill which will be  
voted on Feb. 15. Other important  
bills will be discussed. All citizens  
are urged to attend.

The Intermediate Girls Auxiliary  
of the First Baptist church met  
Tuesday afternoon at the home of  
their counselor, Mrs. Frank Wil-  
liams.

Ina Nell Loomis, president, open-  
ed the meeting with prayer and  
presided over a short business ses-  
sion.

Frances Reese, program chair-  
man, presented an interesting pro-  
gram on "Give as the Lord Says  
and He Will Provide for You".  
Those assisting were Rosana  
Langley, Ina Nell Loomis and  
Ruthie Clark. The meeting was ad-  
joined with prayer by Mrs. Wil-  
liams.

Circle 4 of the W.M.S. sponsored  
the social hour and served refresh-  
ments.

The Junior Girl's Auxiliary of  
First Baptist Church met Tuesday

at the home of their counselor,  
Mrs. Clifton Yancey with ten  
members present.

Mary Buchanan, president, con-  
ducted the business session. It  
was voted to name the auxiliary  
"The Sara Cooper Junior Girl's  
Auxiliary" in honor of Mrs. Cooper  
who organized the Junior group.

Margaret Lee Phillips, program  
chairman, gave the devotional on  
"Hearts". Those taking part were  
Mary Yancey, Sheila Jean Wil-  
liams, Joan Bright, Wanda Clark  
and Mickey Loomis.

Circle 3 of the W.M.S. served  
delicious refreshments.

The Prescott Business and Pro-  
fessional Women's Club met Tues-  
day at the home of Mrs. Joe R.  
Hamilton, with Mrs. Carl Dalway  
and Miss Mary Jo Hamilton co-  
hostesses with 18 members present.

The meeting was called to order  
by Miss Mary Jo Hamilton, presi-  
dent, who presided over the busi-  
ness session after which bingo was  
played and prizes awarded.

Delicious refreshments were  
served by the hostesses.

Out of town friends and relatives  
who attended funeral services for  
Mrs. Hartwell Gresson on Tuesday  
were Mrs. Ed Barham, Mrs. Don  
Jones, Mrs. Matt Hitt, Mr. and  
Mrs. Allen Gresson and Mrs.  
Cleveland Gann of Little Rock,  
Mrs. Edwin Ward, Mr. and Mrs.  
Sam Warrack, Mr. and Mrs. Rod-  
ney Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Joe  
Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wilson,  
Jr. of Hope, Mrs. Emmet Parham,  
Camden, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ful-  
ler, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Herring,  
Ruthie Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Herring,  
Bodew, Will Munn of Rosston and  
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Herring of  
Cushing, Oklahoma.

Mrs. J. H. Langley, Mrs. W. L.  
Britt and McRae spent Wed-  
nesday in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McRae Jr.  
spent Wednesday in Little Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hankins of  
Warren and Mr. and Mrs. George  
Hale and children of Burdette, Ark.  
have been the recent guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hale and sons.

Mrs. Thomas Dewdney, Mrs.  
Dave Hale and Miss Jackie Sue  
Hale spent Wednesday afternoon  
in Hope.

Mrs. Robert Maxwell returned to  
her home in Texarkana Tuesday  
after being the guest of her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hays.

Mayor and Mrs. C. D. Ward and  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Yent  
Tuesday in Little Rock.

## News of the Churches

**CATHOLIC**  
"Our Lady of Good Hope"  
Rev. A. G. Dunleavy, Pastor of  
Hope, Stamps and Magnolia

Mass on Sundays at 10:30 a.m.  
except on the 2nd and 4th Sunday  
at 8:00 a.m. Confessions on the Sat-  
urday evening before the early Mass  
schedule, 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. Wednes-  
days at 4:00 p.m. Religious instruc-  
tions for children.

Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, Mass at  
8:00 a.m. Feast of the Purification  
or Candlemas.

Friday, Feb. 4th, Mass at 8:00  
a.m. The First Friday of February.  
Sunday, January 30, Mass at  
10:30. Benediction after Mass.

**SAINT MARK'S EPISCOPAL**  
Third and Elm Streets  
Rev. W. Northey Jones, S.T.D.  
Acting Rector

3:30 p.m. Fourth Sunday after  
Epiphany.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and  
Sermon.

Friday, 7 p.m.—Episcopal Radio  
Hour. The dramatic actress, Jess-  
ica Tandy will star in the play  
"The World We Make".

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
300 East Second Street  
Stephen Cook, Pastor

Nancy Deal, Educational Director  
Sunday School—10 a.m. Jim Mil-  
ler, Supt.

Morning Worship—10:55. Sermon:  
"Foreign Missions and For-  
eign Government". Anthem: "I  
Know a Beautiful Theme" by  
Slaughter.

A nursery is provided during the  
morning worship.

Vesper Worship—5 p.m. The  
Methodists will join in this wor-  
ship and the Rev. Cooper will de-  
liver the sermon. His topic is "How  
Things Get Done".

P.Y.F.—6:15 p.m.  
Church practice, 7 p.m. Tuesday.

**HOPE GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
321 North Main Street  
H. Paul Holdridge, Pastor

Come and hear Sam Morris, Na-  
tionally known as "The Voice of  
Temperance" today at 11 a.m. and  
at the evening service at 7:30 p.m.

turned his eyes away and one  
clenched fist struck his knee hard.  
"It's no good, Merry," he said  
hansily. "I couldn't stay here, and  
see you and Tip married."

Merry caught her breath as  
though he had struck her, and her  
eyes were wide and stricken.

"Tip. Why, Mike?" Her voice  
caught in her throat and she was  
still.

"He's so right for you, Merry.  
I knew it from the very first mo-  
ment I saw you two together.  
But I couldn't stay and watch, and  
maybe be your best friend, old  
bachelor Channing, looking on at  
heart-five I couldn't share."

Merry did not know that she was  
crying until she tasted the salt of  
tears on her quivering mouth, and  
her voice came, husky and shaken,  
and "Oh, Mike, you blessed fool!"

Mike looked at her swiftly. His  
breath caught, and for a long,  
shaken moment he could only look  
deep into her eyes and read, with  
a dawning incredulous wonder, the  
lovely message he saw there.

"Merry," he said at last, his  
voice a shaken thread of sound.  
"Oh, Mike, Mike," she whis-  
pered, and leaned toward him.  
And then suddenly was in his  
arms, held close and hard against  
him, her tear-wet cheek against  
his own.

For a moment that was like an  
eternity of loveliness, yet only a  
breathless second of rapture, he  
held her close, and then he held her  
away from him and looked down  
at her, the terrible need for re-  
assurance in so many words caus-  
ing him to burst into speech.

"Merry, don't play with me,  
sweetest. Merry, is it? Merry,  
have you chosen me instead of  
Tip?"

"Darling, darling, I think I chose  
you from the very first moment,"  
she told him, and cared nothing  
for the crystal tears that slipped  
down her cheeks. I was afraid,  
that's all."

"Afraid, sweet? Of me?"  
"Of us. Mike. Because I knew  
for me it had to be for always, or  
it wouldn't be enough. I knew I  
couldn't belong to you for just a  
little while and then let you go.  
I'm a terribly possessive creature.  
Mike, I sort of cling to those I  
love."

His arms drew her close again,  
and his kiss on her mouth was the  
loveliest thing she would ever  
know: that first exquisite kiss of  
surrender so complete that it was  
almost painful.

"Oh, Merry, sweetest, I do love  
you so! I said unsteadily, like  
a boy with his first love; not at all  
the deft, sophisticated, casually  
expert lover whose outrageous  
"time" had frightened her slightly.

"For always, Mike?" Her lips  
were against his ear, her voice so  
small, so faint that otherwise he  
would not have heard her.

"Always and forever," said Mike  
heavily, and his tone held an in-  
effable tenderness, an exquisi-  
te promise that made the words a  
pledge flung straight in the teeth  
of the future.

THE END

## Bobcats Barely Edge Past Fighting Wolves

Come early enough for Sunday  
School then you will be assured  
of a seat. Millions have heard him  
by radio, hear and see him per-  
sonally at the Hope Gospel Taber-  
nacle today.

Sunday School—9:45 a.m.  
Radio Bible Class over Radio  
station KXAR—10 a.m. Rev. H.  
Paul Holdridge, teacher.

Morning Worship—11. Sam Mor-  
ris, speaker.

"The Gospel Hour" over radio  
station KXAR—1 p.m.

Orchestra Rehearsal—3:30 p.m.  
Choir Rehearsal—4:30 p.m.

Junior and Senior Christ's Am-